

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

LIU, *et al.*

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For: BENZOPYRONE COMPOUNDS, PREPARATION  
METHOD AND USE THEREOF

**Confirmation No. 5464**

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Examiner: Sudhakar Katakam

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Mail Stop: Amendment**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 12 February 2009, to which the time for response is set to expire 12 May 2009. The pending claims, claims 1-5 and 9-14, were rejected. Reconsideration and entry of the following amendment(s) are respectfully requested.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.  
Amendment to the Claims begins on page 12 of this paper.  
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